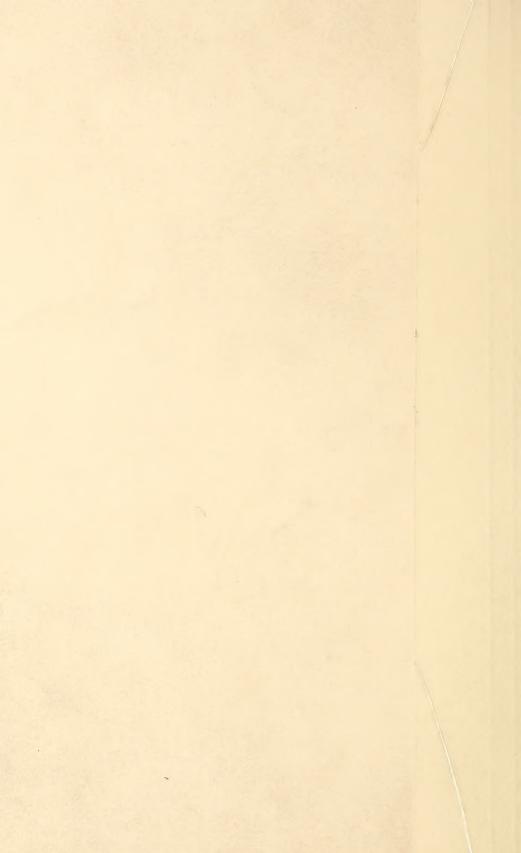
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#### DIRECTIONS

FOR THE

### CULTIVATION OF VEGETABLES.

Success, in cultivating all vegetables, is certain, just in proportion as sufficient space is given to grow in, proper tillage bestowed, and the necessary supply of light and air afforded. These conditions met, the crop will be heavy and the quality superior.

In the Directions found in the Catalogue we name the *least* space repuired by the different varieties. This has been done in view of the limited size of many gardens, which necessitates economy of ground. Where the garden will allow it, more liberal space should be given.

Having set apart sufficient space, give the ground a thorough preparation. Deep Culture is one great secret of success. Plough and sub-soil; or, if the spade is used, dig down at least sixteen inches.

It is important that the ground be well drained.

ALL crops succeed better when planted and cultivated in drills and rows, rather than broadcast. By so doing, time, expense and trouble will be saved. Weeds must be thoroughly enalicated, and the surface of the ground kept open and loose, if you wish to raise a superior, or even remunerative crop. To accomplish this, the hoe is your best helper, and should be constantly kept at work.

The same kind of crop should not occupy the same ground year after year. After manuring well such crops as grow above ground (Cabbage, Peas, Potatoes and the like), follow next year with root crops (Carrots, Parsnips, &c.), which will not require so much manure.

We need scarcely suggest the advantage to be derived by an early starting of vegetables in hot-beds. The trouble is very slight as compared with the gain in time and the satisfaction thus secured.

All these suggestions are of practical importance, and, if acted upon will secure early and abundant crops.

We append directions for making a hot-bed.

TO PREPARE A HOT-BED, a quantity of stable manure should be well shaken up in a heap about the beginning or middle of February; after remaining three days, it should again be shaken up and turned over, and again at another interval of three days. Let the manure remain for three or four days more in the heap, and then form the bed of any dimensions that may be requisite, according to size or number of frames to be used, making the bed about a foot wider than the frame all around. The bed, when made, should not be less than three feet high, the situation for it should be dry underneath, sheltered from the north as much as possible, and fully exposed to the sun. In making up the bed, beat the manure well down with the fork. Place about eight inches of light rich soil in the frame after it is placed on the bed, so that the surface of the soil may be from six to eight inches from the top of the frame. After the bed has stood with the lights on, but raised a few inches to let the steam escape, for a few days, sow the seed of Cabbage, Tomatoes, Cauliflower, Egg Plant, Celery, Lettuce, Radish, &c., &c. When the seeds make their appearance above ground, give some air, day and night, in moderate weather, by raising the lights two or three inches, and, as the heat of the bed diminishes, increase the supply of air to prevent the plants being drawn up. In severe weather the frame and lights should be covered at nights with mats or straw. high wind protect the side of the bed also in the same way, or the current of air through will extinguish the heat of the bed. If made early in the season, water only will be required when the earth in the frame becomes quite dry; as the plants increase in size, the supply of water may be increased. In frosty or cold weather, the water should be made milk-warm before it is used-this is important.

#### WARRANTIES.

Irreproachable seeds sometimes fail to germinate through many causes; one of the most common is, heavy rains after sowing, and the consequent baking of the ground afterwards. The germination of seeds underground, is caused and maintained by the formation of gases in the seed. which, in truth, consume the seed, and nourish the sprouts until these are above ground, when the sun and air supply the necessary nutriment-a process which fails in case by too deep sowing, or the ground forming a hard crust on the top, the seed is consumed before its sprouts have reached the surface of the ground. Then, again, an untimely frost, or a very cold current of air passing over the shoots immediately on their appearance above ground, may destroy the whole process of vegetation. Then, again, vermin, cut-worms, and other insects scarcely visible, may destroy a crop unknown to the planter. And finally, there are sometimes causes at work changing the habit and character of plants, which escape the closest observation, owing to conditions of temperature, but little understood. For the above reasons, we wish to state in this explicit form, that whilst we exercise the greatest care to have all seeds pure and reliable, it is hereby mutually agreed between ourselves and the purchaser of our seeds, that we do not warrant the same, and are not in any respect liable or responsible for seeds sold by us, or for any loss or damage arising from any failure thereof in any respect.

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Write orders upon the blank leaf of the letter sheet, or upon a separate piece of paper, stating the *name* of the kind of seeds wanted (and *not* the Catalogue number), also, giving distinctly your own name, address, and shipping directions. Orders from new customers should be accompanied by a Post-Office Money Order, if convenient, or bank bills, if the amount is not large. Address

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ETC., ETC., ETC.

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Please order by NAME and NOT by the numbers, to facilitate the early execution of orders.

#### ARTICHOKE—ARTICHAUT—Alcachofa—Urtichocfe.

French Green Globe, \$\Phi\$ oz., 40 cents; \$\Phi\$ lb., \$4.00.

Large Paris, very hardy, \$\Phi\$ oz., 75 cents.

Jerusalem, roots, \$5 \$\Phi\$ bus.; 25 cents \$\Phi\$ quart.

CULTURE.—Deep, rich, light loam, not liable to retain water in Winter. Give plenty of well-rotted manure. Plant the seed the beginning of May; if dry weather, water frequently. The seedlings should be planted in rows three and a half feet apart, and three feet distant in the rows. They come to maturity the second year. When cold weather approaches they should be covered with coarse litter, and every Spring receive a good dressing of well-rotted manure, well worked in with a fork. The offsets may be taken off, and the strongest used for new beds. A bed will last five or six years.

#### ASPARAGUS—Asperge—Esparrago—Spargel.

Conover's Colossal, 10 cents  $\mathfrak{P}$  oz.; 75 cents  $\mathfrak{P}$  lb.

The best of all the varieties; in fact, we have discarded all the older sorts.

#### ASPARAGUS ROOTS.

CONOVER'S COLOSSAL, per 1,000, \$8.00. ₩ 100, \$1.00.

CULTURE.—The seeds may be sown in the Fall, or as early as the season will permit in the Spring, in drills one foot apart. Keep free from weeds, and in the Spring of the second year, transplant into permanent beds which can be made as follows: The ground should not be too wet, nor too strong, and should have a large supply of well-rotted manure, several inches thick, laid on, and then regularly trenched eighteen inches deep, mixing well the manure. The beds should be six feet wide, with walks two feet wide. Four rows of plants should be put in each bed, and the plants twelve inches distant in the rows. The crown of each plant should be about six inches below the level of the bed. Every Fall cut the stalks down; afterwards give a good dressing of manure, which turn under in the Spring without disturbing the roots. A slight dressing of salt in the early Spring is very beneficial.

## ENGLISH DWARF BEANS—Feve de Marais—Haba—Große Bohnen.

KIND.—No. 1 is the earliest, and Nos. 2 and 3 are the best for main crop.

CULTURE.—Broad Beans should be planted as early as possible after the ground is open, in order to get them into pod before the heat of Summer. When in pod, break off the tops of the plant to check growth. Plant and hoe same as for Dwarf Beans. A strong soil suits them best.

## DWARF, or SNAP BEANS—HARICOT—Frijoles—Rrup-Bohnen Bush. Pqt. 1 Early Snap Shorts. \$4 50 25 10 Early Rachel 5 00 30 2 Early Turtle Soup. 4 50 25 11 Early Yellow6weeks 5 00 30

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6 Early Dun Colored 5 00 30 15 White Wax do \_\_ 6 50 40

7 Early Fejee.\_\_\_\_\_ 6 00 40 16 Refugee,orroootor 4 50 25 8 Ely Marrowfat,white 4 00 20 17 LargeWhite Kidney 4 00 20

9 Early White Cluster 4 00 20 18 Red Kidney..... 5 00 30 Kinds.—Nos. 3, 7, and 14 are the earliest; No. 4 the most hardy; Nos.

3, 14 and 15 for family use; No. 16 also for late, and the best for pickling; Nos. 14 and 15 are the Dwarf Wax varieties, with yellow transparent pods.

CULTURE.—About the first of May select a warm, dry, sheltered spot; dig and manure slightly, make drills two inches deep and two feet apart; drop the Beans three inches apart in the drill, and cover not more than two inches deep. Keep hoed, when not wet, and the weeds killed; and plant every two weeks for a succession.

## POLE, or RUNNING BEANS—HARICOT-RAMES—Frijole de

	₽ qt.	₩ qt.
1 Horticultural, or Speckled	11 White Dutch Running.	40
Cranberry, per bus \$7	40 12 French Soisson	50
2 Dutch Case Knife " 7	40 13 French White Flageolet	40
3 Red Cranberry. " 6	40 14 Black Wax (yel. pods)	50
4 White Cranberry " 8	40 15 Giant Red Wax	60
5 Scarlet Running " 8	40 16 Painted Lady Runners.	50
6 Large White Lima " 9	40 17 French Asparagus, (fine)	50
7 Small White Lima " 9	40 18 French Yard Long, per	
8 Speckled Lima " 16	60 paper	25
9 New Red Lima	60 19 Mont d'or, Long, per	
10 Dreer's Imp'd Lima 8	\$1 00 paper.	25
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Kinds.—Nos. 1, 2, 3, 14 and 17 are best for Snaps, and Nos. 5, 6, 8, and 11 the best for Shell Beans, and most valuable for main crop.

CULTURE.—If warm, dry weather, plant about the middle of May, for an early crop, and about the first of June plant Limas and the other sorts for the principal crop. Plant in hills, about four feet apart, two inches deep. Manure freely.

#### BEET-Betterave-Remolacha-Runeffrüben.

	48	1b. %	oz.		₽ 1b.	Poz.
1	NEW DARK EGYPTIAN. \$1	50	20	11	Long Yellow Man-	
2	Hatch's Extra Early	75	10		gel Wurzel 50	10
	Early Bassano	75	10	12	Long Red Man. Wur 40	10
4	Dewing's Extra Early	75	10	13	Norbiton Giant " 75	10
5	Early Blood Turnip	75	10	14	Yellow Globe " 50	10
6	Dark Pear-shaped 1	00	15	15	Red " " 50	10
7	Early Yellow Turnip 1	00	10	16	White Sugar 40	10
8	Long Smooth Blood	75	10	17	Vilmorin's Imp. Sugar 1 00	) 15
					Lanes' Imp. Sugar. 100	
	Greens)1				Dell's Flower Gar-	
10					den Beet 3 00	30
	Kale 2	00	20	20	Orna'ntal Ghili Beet 3 00	30

Kinds.—Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 are the earliest and best, if used when young. We recommend for early Summer use No. 3; No. 5 for general and Winter use; No. 8 also for late and Winter crop; Nos. from 11 to 18, sow four pounds to acre, for cattle feeding; Nos. 19 and 20 for ornament.

CULTURE —Sow in April for early, and for a succession till last of June; about the middle of May for general crop. The soil should be a deep, rich loam. For the long kinds, trench eighteen inches deep. The rows should be eighteen inches apart, and the plants thinned to eight inches in the rows. Stir the soil often, and the plants will make larger roots. As soon as frost occurs take up roots and store away in dry sand.

#### BORAGE-BOURRACHE-Borraja-Borretch.

# ounce, 20 cents; # lb., \$1.50.

KINDS.—The young leaves of this Annual, which smell somewhat like a Cucumber, are used as salad or boiled as Spinach. Should be sown at intervals, as the leaves are palatable only when young.

CULTURE.—Sow in the Spring, in light soil, and transplant in shallow drills, a foot apart, when of about six weeks' growth.

#### BROCOLI-BROCOLI-Broculi-Spargelfohl.

1	White Sprouting	OZ.	10	5	Early Pur. Cape (fine)	OZ.	50
2	Early White	66 4	10	6	White Cape or Cauliflower	66	75
3	Early Purple				Sulphur-Colored		40
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only ones that succeed generally. We recommend No. 5 as the most certain. Culture.—Sow early sorts as soon as the ground can be worked in the Spring, in shallow drills, drawn three or four inches apart. Plant out two feet apart each way, when plants are four inches high. Cultivate the same as Cabbage; rich soil.

## BRUSSELS SPROUTS—Chou de Bruxelles—Berza de Brusels—Rosensons.

1 Best English \_\_\_\_\_\_ \$2 00 20 3 Roseberry \_\_\_\_\_ \$3 00 30 20 Improved Dwarf \_\_\_\_ 2 50 25

CULTURE.—Sow in May, in the same manner as Brocoli, and transplant in July. They become very tender when touched by frost. The numerous small heads, when boiled and dressed with butter, make the most delicious dish of vegetables on the table.

#### BURNET—PIMPERNELE DE JARDIN—Pimpernella—Bimpernell.

Garden, 20 cents per ounce; \$2.00 per pound.

CULTURE.—Sow early in Spring, half an inch deep, thinly in rows. The leaves have a warm, piquant taste for salads and soups.

#### CABBAGE—CHOU—Berza de repollo—Rohl.

			# 1t	). #8	oz.		49	1b.	48	oz.
	1	Wheeler's Cocoanut	\$4	00	40	18			00	
	2	King of Dwarf					El'y Ox-Heart(true)	3	00	30
	3	Little Pixie (fine flavor)	4	00	40	20	Large Early York	2	00	20
	4	Earliest Dwarf	2	50	25	21	Early Flat Dutch	7	00	75
	5	Early Spotsboro.	3	00	30	22	Large Late Bergen	4	00	40
	6	EarlyWyman, Imp'td					L'ge Late Drumh'd	4	00	40
	7	Early York	2	00	20	24	L'geFineFlat Dutch	4	00	40
	8	Early Salisbury Dw'f	3	00	30	25	Silver Leaf Drumh'd	5	00	50
	9	Early Dutch	2	00	20	26	SolidHead Brun'w'k	3	00	30
]	0	Early Jersey Wakf'd	6	00	60	27	Marb'h'd Mammoth	8	00	75
]	1	Early Winningstadt.	3	00	30	28	Large Schweinfurt	4	00	40
]	12	Heal's Early Imper'l					Large Late Green			
]	13	Early Battersea.					Glazed			
		Early Nonpareil					Late Drumhead Sa-	3	00	30
	15	Early Dwarf Savoy_	2	50	25		voy	4	00	40
		SmallE'lyUlm Sav'y	2				Late Globe Savoy	2	00	20
		EarlyLondon Mark't		00	30	32	Red (for pickling)	3	00	30
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Kinds.—Nos. 1, 3, 7 and 10 are the earliest; Nos. 9, 11 and 19 are the best for second early. We particularly recommend Nos. 10, 11, and 19; Nos. 22, 23 and 24 are the well known Winter varieties. No. 28 will be found a very early variety of the large heading-sort. Nos. 23, 24, and 25, are the best for main crop. No. 30 is the best for family use.

Culture.—Sow the early sorts in Autumn, and protect by a cold frame during the Winter, transplanting early in Spring; or in hot-beds during February and March, and transplant middle of April; or sow the seed in open ground as early in the Spring as the ground can be worked. Sow for later crop in April and May. They should be sown in shallow drills, four to six inches apart. When the plants are six inches high transplant into richly manured ground, the early kinds two feet apart; the later kinds, for Winter use, three feet apart. The ground must be deeply loosened and worked thoroughly to grow large and good heads. Hoe often, to kill weeds; and draw some earth up to the stems. If troubled by the Cabbage flea (Haltica), sprinkle the plants with soot, wood-ashes, lime, or Scotch snuff; either of the above will drive them away.

#### CARDOON-CARDON-CARDO-Cardon.

Large Solid, 50 cents per ounce.

CULTURE.—Sow early in Spring, in rows, where they are to stand, and thin them to one foot apart; when full size, bind plants together with straw or matting, and earth up like Celery to blanch; the stems of the leaves are used for salads, soups and stews.

#### CARROT-CAROTTE-Zanahoria-Möhren.

	49	lb.	% oz.		<b>B</b>	lb. P	0Z.
1	Extra Early Forcing . \$1	25	15 5	Long Orange	1	()()	10
2	Early Horn 1	0.0	15 6	Altringham	1	00	10
3	HalfLongRed, poin'd 1	00	15 7	Long Blood or Purple	1	50	15
	HalfLongRed, stump						
				Long Yellow			

Kinds.—For the earliest and for the latest crops, No. 2 is best; Nos. 3, 4, 5 and 6 are the best for main crop; No. 5 is particularly recommended; and for stock sow two pounds to the acre; No. 1 is the best for forcing.

CULTURE.—Sow No. 2 as early as the ground can be worked; or for late crop, until latter part of July; for main crop, sow from the middle of May to first of July. Thin out early crop to five inches in row; main crop six to seven inches; the rows ten inches apart for early crop; fourteen for main crop. Hoe often and deeply between rows. Soil, light sandy loam, richly manured and deeply dug.

#### CAULIFLOWER—CHOU-FLEUR—Coliflor—Blumenfohl.

1	Extra Early Dwarf			# lb. # c	OZ.
	Erfurt	50 7	Early London	5 00 \$0 3	50
	32 lb. 38	OZ.	Walcheren		5()
2	Early Dwarf Erfurt \$32 00 \$3	00 8	White French	5 50 5	50
3	Early Algiers 12 00 1	00 10	Late London	5 00 5	50
4	Thorburn's Wonderful 32 00 3 0	00'11	Lenormands	16 00 1 5	50
5	Early Paris 10 00 1	00 12	: Autumn Giant	32 00 3 (	00
6	Thorburn's Nonpareil 9 00 1	00			

Kinds.—Nos. 2, 3 and 5 will be found the finest varieties for early, and No. 3 also for foreing, and No. 6, for late, is particularly recommended. Nos. 4 and 11 are recommended as first-class.

CULTURE.—Sow in light, rich soil, about the 20th of August to the middle of September, to transplant into cold frames and protect through the Winter, and transplant early in Spring, to head in June; or sow in hot-bed in February; transplant the latter part of March into another frame, and plant out early in May to head at the same time. Plant three feet by two. For Autumn, or main crop, sow in open situation in May, and transplant in July. Soil must be rich and deep, and, if dry weather, water liberally. As the flower heads appear, the large leaves should be broken down over them, to keep the sun and rain from injuring them.

#### CELERY-CELERI-Apio-Sellerie.

1	Incomparable Dwarf	9 oz.	Sandringham Dwarf \$ 16. \$9 02	ļ.
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			White\$3 00 30	
2	Boston Dwarf White 5 00	50 6	Giant White Solid_ 4 00 40	0
3	Dwarf Crystal White 4 00	40 7	Celeriac, or Turnip	
4	Incomparable Dwarf		Rooted 3 00 30	)
	Crimson 4 00	40		

Kinds.—Nos. 1, 3 and 6 are the best sorts for family use. We recommend Nos. 1 and 4 for early, and No. 6 for main crop.—No. 1 is the popular New York market variety.

CULTURE.—Sow early in Spring, in a seed-bed half an inch deep, at any time after night frosts are gone, or on a slight hot-bed, if wishe early, thind

out the plants, when up, to an inch apart or transplant into a second bed three inches apart. When strong plants dig trenches five feet apart and fifteen inches wide; dig each trench a moderate spade deep, put four inches of well-rotted dung all over the bottom of each trench, then pare the sides, and dig the dung and parings with an inch or two of loose mould at the bottom, incorporating all well together, and put in the plants in two rows six inches apart, and eight inches apart in rows. Give a good watering after planting, earth up as the plants make growth. For the Dwarf variety trench but half the depth. The Turnip-Rooted variety does not require trenches at all; ordinary garden culture is all that is necessary.

#### CHERVIL—CERFEUIL—Perifollo—Benfenlauch.

Curled, 20 cents  $\Re$  oz.; \$2.00  $\Re$  lb. Tuberous, 50 cents  $\Re$  oz.; \$5.00  $\Re$  lb

CULTURE.—Cultivate and use like Parsley. Sow at any time in the Spring, in shallow drills, one foot apart. The Tuberous Chervil should be sown in August or September, and treated like the Carrot.

#### COLLARDS—CHOU— Cabu—Blätterfohl.

Georgia Grown, 25 cents ₱ oz.; \$2.50 ₱ lb.

CULTURE.—Sow seeds as for Cabbage, in June, July and August, for succession. Transplant when one month old, in rows a foot apart each way, and hoe frequently.

#### CORN-Mais-Maiz-Mais.

#### FOR GARDEN CULTURE.

1	Early Minnesota	ear,	5	cts.;	#2	quart,	30	cts.
	Early Narragansett Sugar	"	5	66		- 66	30	
	Moore's Early Concord Sugar	66	5	66		66	30	
	Early Dwarf Sugar.	66	5	66		66	30	
	Early Darling's Sugar.	66	5	66		66	30	
	Early Golden Sugar	44	8	44		66	30	
	Early Eight-Rowed Sugar.	44	8	66		44	30	
	Large Eight-Rowed Sugar	66	8	66		66	30	
	Mammoth Sugar	66	10	6.6		6.6	30	
	Stowell's Evergreen Sugar	66	8	66		66	30	
	Trimble's Sugar.	66	5	66		66	40	
	Black Sugar	66	5	66		66	40	
	Early Burlington or Adams.	44	5	"		46	25	
	Early Tuscarora.	66	8	44		66	25	
	Japanese Striped Maize	66	5	66				
16	New Miniature	66	5	66				
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Kinds.—Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5 and 6, are best for very earliest; Nos. 1 and 4 grow but three feet high; No. 7 for a second early; Nos. 9, 10 and 11 for late and general crop.—No. 15 is the beautiful striped-leaved variety.

CULTURE.—Plant in hills three feet apart each way, and five or six in a hill; hoe often and draw soil up to the stems; break off side shoots. Make the ground rich with well-rotted manure.

#### CORN-FOR FIELD CULTURE.

l	Extra Long White Flint	Ears,	100,	\$3	00
2	Early Canada	66	66	2	<b>5</b> 0
3	Early Red Glazed	44	66	3	00
4	Eight-Rowed Yellow Flint	66	66	3	00
5	Eastern Dent	66	66	3	00
6	Orange Flint	44	66	3	00
7	Early Durkam (and many other varieties) -	66	44	3	00

Kinds,—Nos. 2 and 3 are the earliest sorts; Nos. 1 and 3 are particularly recommended. No. 7 is a new and very productive sort.

#### CORN SALAD, or FETTICUS—Macha 6 Valerianilla—Stechfalat.

Large	Seeded_	 	 _	_	_	 		 .15	cents	#	oz.;	\$1.00	P lb.
Small	Seeded_	 _	 	_	_	 _	_	_15	66		66	1.00	66
Lettuc	e-Leaved					 		 .30	66		66	3.00	66

CULTURE.—Sow during August, or early in September, in drills a quarter of an inch deep and six inches apart. If dry weather, tread in the seed lightly. Keep down weeds with hoe. Just before the first of Winter cover thinly with clean straw or leaves. A delicious hardy salad.

#### ('RESS-Cresson-Berro & Mustuerzo-Rreffe.

Culture.—Sow Nos. 1 and 2 thickly, in shallow drills, every two or three weeks. No. 1 should be cut often and it will continue to grow; it is useful not only for salad, but for the breakfast-table and for garnishing. Sow No. 3, which is quite hardy, early in Spring, at midsummer, and also in the Autumn, in rich ground, this will furnish a supply from September until the following May—in hot weather it becomes too strong to be agreeable; an excellent substitute for Water Cress. Sow No. 4 on a stream of running water, or in any moist location, in which it will grow without care, except keeping, at first, weeds from interfering with it, also in frames for Winter Salads. Water Cress is delicious cultivated in pots in greenhouses, or will thrive well in hot-beds.

#### CUCUMBER—Concombre—Pepino—Gurfen.

		#8	lb. P	OZ.	19 lb. 19 o	z.
1	Early Russian.	31	50	20	8 Extra Long Grecian 8 1b. 89 or	5
2	Early Short Green	1	00	15	9 Green Prolific, for	
						0
						5
5	Long Green	1	25	20	11 Swan's Neck, " 2	5
6	Long Green Turkey	2	50	25	12 Small Gherkin (BITT) 4 00 4	0
7	Long White Turkey					

Kinds.—Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 are the earliest; No. 3 is the favorite kind for table use; Nos. 3, 4 and 9 for pickling, and 3 also for general use; very productive, and best for Market Gardeners or Pickle Planters. Nos. 10 and 11 are interesting sorts.

Culture.—In February and March, plant seed in hot-bed; or, in April. in cold frame, well covered. Plant out in rich, newly-dug ground, in hills or ridges, when night frosts are gone, and cover up with Hand or Bell Glasses. In frames, protect well at night; give air in day; avoid winds; shade from mid-day sun. Keep up heat when grown early in the year by hot dung lining as temperature of bed subsides. Stop the leading shoots continually as the fruit shows; or plant the seed in open ground as soon as the weather becomes settled and warm, in hills four feet apart. Use a shovelful of warm manure to each hill, which cover with an inch or two of earth; scatter eight or ten seeds to a hill, cover half an inch deep with fine earth, and press it down. Hoe often, and when out of danger from insects, thin the plants to four in a hill.

#### CUCUMBER—English Varieties for Frames.

pkt,	79	pkt.
00	Lord Kenyon's Favorite\$0	25
50	Prize Fighter	25
25	Walker's Rambler	25
25	Telegraph.	25
25	Lynch's Star of the West	25
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	00 50 25 25 25 50 75 50	pkt, 000 Lord Kenyon's Favorite \$0 50 Prize Fighter \$0 25 Walker's Rambler \$0 Telegraph \$0 Lynch's Star of the West Lancashire Witch \$0 Lancashire

#### DANDELION—PISSENLIT.

French Seed, 40 cents # ounce; \$4.00 # pound.

CULTURE.—The Dandelion is a hardy perennial plant, and one of the most desirable early Spring salads. Sow in May or June, in drills half an inch deep and ten inches apart; in July or August, thin out the plants to three inches apart. Keep clear of weeds during the Summer, and, in April of the ensuing Spring, the plants will be fit for the table.

#### EGG PLANT-MELONGENE-Berengena-Gierpflange.

	₩ oz.	報 pkt.	₩ lb.	79 oz.
1	Extra Early Dwarf	4	Black Pekin (fine), \$10 00	1 00
	Purple\$4 00	25 5	Scarlet Chinese (Beautiful)	50
_	₩ lb.	\$ oz. 6	Striped	75
2	Long Purple \$4 00	40) -	White	50
3	New York Purple _ 6 00	60	YTHILL	017

Kinds.—Nos. 1 and 2 are the earliest; No. 3 is the largest, most productive, and best for main crop; No. 5 is most beautiful, and also a fine cooking variety; No. 4 is of excellent flavor, with ornamental leaves.

CULTURE.—Sow in hot-beds, very early in Spring; transplant when two inches high into a second bed; if that is not done, thin to four inches apart. Do not plant out till the weather becomes perfectly settled and warm, and cover up with Hand Glass. Cool nights or wet weather will check them. Keep some back in frames for a second planting out, in case of weather changing unexpectedly. Keep plants watered for few days, if the sun is hot when put out. When the plants have grown to about a foot in height, cut them down six inches, promoting thereby more abundant fruiting. Keep them tilled by the hoe, and draw earth up as for Cabbage.

#### ENDIVE—CHICOREE—Escarola o Endivia—Endivien.

9 lb. 9 oz. 9 lb. 9 oz. 1 Green Curled\_\_\_\_\$9 00 20 | 3 Wild, or Chicory\_\_\_\$0 75 10

2 White Curled \_\_\_ 2 50 25 4 Broad-leaved Escapolle 2 50 25

Kinds.—Nos. 1 and 2 are the best for Salad—particularly No. 1, which is also the most hardy. The roots of No. 3 are used for flavoring coffee.

CULTURE.—Sow No. 4 early in Spring; Nos. 1 to 3, from latter part of May to end of July. Sow thin and cover slightly. When up, thin out to eight inches apart, and give a good watering afterwards, if dry. When leaves are six or eight inches long, blanch them by gathering the leaves in the hand and tying them together near the top with yarn or bast. This must be done when quite dry or they will rot. At the approach of Winter the growing crop may be taken up carefully, with ball of earth to each plant, and placed close together in frame or cellar for use; but they must be kept dry, and have plenty of air, or they will rot.

#### GARLICK—ALL—Ajo—Anoblauch.

Sets 40 cents per lb.

CULTURE.—Light, rich soil. Plant the sets in rows six inches apart and about two inches deep. Leave a foot between the rows, which keep hoed deeply. When the leaves turn yellow, take up the crop.

#### Ice Plant.

Clean Seed, per Packet, 10 cents.

CULTURE.—Sow in good garden soil as soon as ground becomes warm in Spring, in shallow drills—a desirable vegetable for boiling like Spinach, or for garnishing.

#### KALE-CHOU VERT FRISE-Col-Blätterfohl.

1 Green Curled Scotch. \$1 25 15 4 Cottagers \$2 00 20

2 Brown German Curled 1 50 15 5 Garnishing \_\_\_\_ 5 00 50

3 Siberian (German Greens) 1 00 156 Sea Kale ...... 3 00 30

Kinds.—Nos. 1, 2, 4 and 5 are Borecole. No. 6 is a fine vegetable, having the appearance of white Celery, but cooked as Asparagus. No. 3 is used for early Spring Greens. No. 4 is a very tall and productive sort, highly recommended.

CULTURE.—Nos. 1, 2, 4 and 5 are cultivated and grown exactly like Cabbage. No. 3 sow in September for early Spring Greens. No 6 sow early in Spring in a frame, transplant to another bed, six inches apart, in six weeks' time. Dig and manure highly a piece of ground, and plant out in hills three feet apart, and three plants in each hill, about the end of July. Before Winter, cover these with litter or leaves. The following Spring uncover and dig in manure—Keep them well cultivated through the Summer, and the following Autumn it will begin to produce a crop. Salt is a good manure to be given to this plant, as well as to Asparagus.

## KOHLRABI, or Turnip-Rooted Cabbage—Chou-RAVE—

1	Early	White	Vienna	 	 	#	lb.	\$4	00	₩ oz	. 40
2	Early	Purple	Vienna	 	 		66	4	00	66	40
3	Large	White	or Green	 	 		66	2	00	44	20

Kinds.—Sow No. 1 for early forcing, and also for general crop. This is a delightful vegetable, and should be grown in every garden.

CULTURE.—May be sown from April to July, and the plants afterwards treated the same as Cabbage, only that in earthing up the plants you must be careful not to cover up the globular part. Set out in drills one foot apart, and ten inches in the drill.

#### LEEK.—Poireau--Puerro-Borro.

1	Best Large Flag₩	oz.	40 cents.	₩ Ib.	\$4 00
2	Large Rouen	66	30 "	"	3 00
3	New Large Carentan	66	40 "	. 66	4 00

CULTURE.—Sow very early in Spring, in drills six inches apart, and one inch deep. Thin out to one inch apart. When they are about seven inches high plant them out in rows eight inches apart, and as deep as possible, so as not to cover the young center leaves. Water thoroughly, if dry weather when planted out. Draw earth up to them as they grow. Require very rich soil. Take up and store away before Winter weather.

#### LETTUCE-LAITUE-Lechuga-Salat.

₩ 1b. W oz.	79 Tb. 79 oz.
1 White Forcing Head\$4 00 40	11 Ice Drumhead \$1 50 15
2 Early Curled Silesia 1 50 15	12 All the Year Round 6 00 50
3 " Simpson 2 50 25	13 Large Yellow Butter 2 50 25
4 Large Perpignan 3 00 30	14 Brown Dutch 2 50 25
5 Tennisball or Boston 2 50 25	15 White Cos 2 50 25
6 The Hanson Lettuce 5 00 50	
7 Victoria Cabbage 2 00 20	17 Grey Cos 3 00 30
	18 Blood Cos 4 00 40
9 White Cabbage 2 50 25	19 Hardy Green Winter 3 00 30
10 Wheeler's Tom Thumb4 00 40	
	bage 3 00 30

Kinds.—No. 1 is the best for forcing or earliest Spring Crop; No. 3 for a succession kind; Nos. 5, 9 and 13 are fine for main Spring and Summer crops; No. 14 for Fall, and Nos. 19 and 20 for Winter. Nos. 15 and 16 are also highly recommended, but more trouble to raise.

CULTURE.—Sow Nos. 1, 3 and 5 in frames, in March, and in the open ground as early as it opens, and transplant in rows eight inches apart. Sow in a month's time same varieties again, as also Cos for a succession. In August, sow any of the varieties, except Nos. 19 and 20, which should be sown in September. In October, some of these may be planted in frames to head in Winter and early Spring. Always sow thin, and thin out well, or the plants will not be strong. The last Spring sowing had better be grown where sown, being thinned out to six or eight inches apart. To have Cos in good order, they must be sown in hot-bed early in the year and transplanted in a cold frame, so as to have them good plants to set out at the opening of the ground. They require tying when grown, for a few days, to blanch. Lettuce requires good ground and moisture in abundance. Hoe carefully every week.

#### MARTYNIA-FOR PICKLES.

1 Craniolaria ♥ lb. \$4; ♥ oz. 40 | 2 Proboscidea ♥ lb. \$4; ♥ oz. 40 Kinps.—Both are productive and fine for Pickles.

Culture.—Plant in May, in the open ground, three feet apart in each direction, where the plants are to remain, leaving only one plant in each hill; or the seed may be sown in hot-bed, and the seedlings afterwards transplanted.

MUSK MELON—MELON MUSCADE— Melon Muscatel— Rantalupen.

	48	lb. 🕸	OZ.	<b>\$9</b> 1	ъ. ৠ	02.
1	Fine White Japan \$1	50	20 10	Turk's Cap\$1	50	15
2	Fine Nutmeg 1	. 00	15 11	Yellow Cantelope 1	00	15
3	New Valparaiso 1	. 50	20 12	Pomegranate for		
4	Orange Christina 1	25	15	Perfume 5	00	50
5	Green Citron 1	. 00	15 13	Mango Melon, for		
				Mangoes 2	00	20
	Long Green Persian 1					
8	Sill's Hybrid 1	25	15	(for Preserves)		40
				French Climbing P		

#### ENGLISH VARIETIES-FOR FRAMES.

Royal Horticultural			Scarlet Gem	pkt.	25
Prize	pkt.	75	Bayley's Eclipse	35	25
			Camberwell Beauty	66 ,	25
New Tom Thumb			Trentham Hybrid	66	25

Kinds.—Nos. 1 and 6 are the earliest varieties. No. 1 is almost entirely skinless; small, but equal in flavor to the finest in cultivation. In addition to this sort for general crop, we recommend Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 8.

CULTURE.—Plant in hills six feet apart each way, six to twelve seeds in each, and thin out to two or three plants when in a state of forwardness. It is a good plan to make a hole for each hill, two feet wide, in which dig some rotten stable manure or burnt sods. Dust a little soot or wood-ashes on the growing plants, when up. Pinch off, to make them branch when they begin to run. Lay them out evenly to cover the ground, which keep clear from weeds at all times. A light but rich soil suits them best.

#### WATER MELON-MELON D'EAU-Zandia-Baffermelonen.

	₩ 1b. ₩	oz.		18 It	. 49	oz.
1	Sculptured Seeded \$9 1b. \$9	8	Apple Seeded	\$3	00	30
	Japan\$3 00	30 9	Orange	. 1	50	20
2	Early Mount'n Sprout 1 00	15 10	Peerless	. 3	00	30
3	Striped Gipsy 1 00	15 11	Phinney	1	00	15
4	Black Spanish 1 00	15 12	Apple Pie (Citron			
5	Ice Cream 75	10	Variety)	2	00	20
	Goodwin's Imperial. 2 00					
7	Strawberry 2 00	201				

Kinds,—No. 1 is a new and interesting variety, and Nos. 3 and 5 are the finest for general erop. Nos. 7, 8 and 9 are popular Southern sorts of excellent quality.

CULTURE.—Same as Musk Melon, except that the hills should be eight feet apart each way.

#### MUSHROOM SPAWN—CHAMPIGNON—Seta — Champignonbrut. English Spawn, 12 cents per lb.; 10 lbs. for \$1.00. French Spawn, per 3 lb., box, \$1.25.

CULTURE.—Mushroom beds are best made under cover. Any cellar or shed will do. Collect a quantity of fresh stable manure, without the long straw, turn it over daily for six or eight days to get rid of the rank heat. Dig out a foot and a half deep of the space to contain the bed. Lay some long manure at bottom, and then the prepared dung, a little at a time, evenly and well beaten down, till it is a foot and a half high; put a layer of light earth on this one inch thick, then another layer of dung, principally horse droppings, in eight or ten days, or as soon as the heat has declined to about 70°, or just to feel a little warm to the finger; insert lumps of Spawn the size of hen's eggs, ten inches apart, and just even with the surface of the bed, and cover with earth an inch thick. Beat it all gently down, and immediately inclose the bed all around, and over the top, with a wall of warm dung previously well prepared by turning over to temper and sweeten it, and, if out of doors, keep off rain by mats or thin boards.

#### MUSTARD-MOUTARDE-Mostaza-Senf.

White London, 35 cents ♥ quart. | Black, 30 cents ♥ quart.

CULTURE.—Sow thickly during April and early in May, in shallow drills, press the earth well down, and for Fall Salad, in September; or in frames or boxes, in any out-house, during Winter. Sow very thickly.

#### NASTURTIUM—CAPUCINE—Maranuela—Nafturtium.

Tall, 15 cts. Pounce, \$1.50 Ph. Dwarf, 30 cts. Pounce, \$3 Ph. Culture.—Sow in June or July, in drills about an inch deep; the Tall kind near fences or poles, on which they can climb and have support. If left to trail on the ground the fruit is apt to be injured.

### OKRA—Gombo—Quimbombo—Safran.

Improved Dwarf, \$\pi\$ lb., 75 cents; \$\pi\$ ounce, 10 cents. Long Green, \$\pi\$ lb., 75 cents; \$\pi\$ ounce, 10 cents.

CULTURE.—Plant late in Spring, after the ground has become warm, in drills three feet apart, where the plants are to remain. Thin out to nine inches. They should be well manured.

#### ONION-OIGNON-Cebolla-Bwiebeln.

Olikoli				~)		
1 Queen(NewEarlyWhite)	₹9 lb. §	g oz.			% lb. %	OZ.
1 Queen(NewEarlyWhite)	\$6 00	50 12	Neapol	itan Marza	-	
2 White Tripoli 3 WhiteGlobe(extra fine	6 00	50	gole	(White)	.\$6 00	60
3 WhiteGlobe(extra fine	)3 00	30 13	GTobe	Madeira	2 50	25
4 White Portugal	3 00	30 14	Flat Ma	ideira	. 2 50	25
5 Early Red	3 00	30 15	Welsh	(for salad)	3 00	30
6 Large Red	2 00	20	D. J.T.	0.	P bus. P	qt.
7 Red Globe	2 00	20 16	Rea I	p Unions	. 6 00	30
8 Yellow Dutch	2 50	25 17	Potato	Onions	4 00	20
9 Yellow Globe	2 50	$25^{-18}$	Yellow	Union Sets.	6 00	30
10 Yellow Danvers	2 00	$\frac{19}{20}$ .	White (	Inion Sets	8 00	40
11 Giant Rocco	5 00	50:20	Shallots	op Onions Onions Onion Sets. Onion Sets.	5 00	30

KINDS,-No. 1 is small, but the earliest, and one of the best introduced

for years; Nos. 3, 4, 6 and 10 are the best for main crop; No. 4 is also best for pickling, but should be sown very thick for this purpose. No. 15 for early Spring Salad.

Culture.—Rich soil, deeply dug, and then lightly rolled. Sow Nos. 1 to 9, moderately thick, in drills one inch deep and twelve inches apart, as soon as the ground is open in the Spring; thin to three inches apart. Keep down weeds, but avoid covering the bulbs. No. 13 should be sown last of August or early in September, and will produce new leaves for salad early in Spring. Onion Sets and Tops are placed on the surface, in shallow twelve-inch drills, about four inches apart, but not covered. No. 15 plant in Spring or Fall, as they will survive the Winter if slightly covered with dung.

#### ORA('H, or French Spinach.

Red		# lb.,	\$1 50 \$\text{ oz., 1}	5
White			1 50 " . 1	5
CULTURE Sow	early in Spring,	and cultivate and	use like Spinach.	

### PARSLEY-Persil-Perijil-Beterfilie.

1	Extra Curled #	lb.,	\$1	00	₩ oz.,	10
2	Moss Curled	66	1	00	66	10
3	Plain.	66		75	66	10
4	Hamburg or Rooted	66	1	25	66	15

KINDS.—Nos. 1 and 2 are the best. No. 4 the root only is used.

CULTURE.—Soak the seeds a few hours in lukewarm water, and sow early in Spring, the drills an inch deep and one foot apart. Thin out the plants to four inches apart. To preserve in Winter, transplant some, and set them in a light cellar. No. 4 should be thinned out while young, and managed the same as Carrots or Parsnips.

#### PARSNIP-PANAIS-Chirivia-Paftinate.

1	SUTTON'S STUDENT	₩ lb.,	75 %	oz.,	10
2	Guernsey, or Cup	- "	75	66	10
3	Early Round	. "1	00	66	10
4	Long White.	- 66	75	66	10

KINDS.—Nos. 1 and 3 are the best kinds. No. 4 is early, but small size. Culture.—Sow as soon as ground opens in Spring, in drills one inch deep and fifteen inches apart. When plants are two or three inches high, thin out to seven inches in a row. Hoe often. Soil should be deep and rich.

#### PEAS-Pois-Chicaros & Guisantes-Erbsen.

	EXTRA EARLY.	Не	ight.	\$9 T	bus.	P qt.
- 1	Plymouth Rock	$2\frac{1}{2}$	feet	\$10	00	\$0.50
2	William the First	3	6.6	14	00	75
*3	Alpha (Extra Early Wrinkled, and best of all)	3	4.6	10	00	50
	Carter's "First Crop"			9	00	50
5	Daniel O'Rourke (improved—fine)	$2\frac{1}{2}$	6.6	6	50	40.
6	Caractacus	$2\frac{1}{2}$		9	00	50
#7	McLean's Advancer (fine)	21	66	7	00	40.

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	as, (Continued.) EARLY.		P bush.	₩ qt.
8	Laxton's Prolific Long Pod	4 feet.	\$6 00	<b>\$</b> 0 50
	Rising Sun		10 00	50
	GENERAL C	ROP.		
*10	Champion of England	5 "	9 00	30
	Blue Imperial (fine)		4 00	25
12	Harrison's Glory	3 "	7 00 .	40
	Dwarf Sugar (edible pods)		11 00	50
14	Tall Sugar (edible pods)	5 "	13 00	60
	New Wrinkled Sugar (edible pods, fi		14 00	75
	Hair's Dwarf Green Marrow (fine)		9 00	50
*17	Napoleon (fine)	3 "	6 00	30
	Eugenie		8 00	40
	LATE CRO	Р.		
19	White Marrowfat	5 "	4 00	20
20	Black Eyed Marrowfat	3 "	3 00	20
21	Tall Matchless (fine)	5 "		50
	Epp's Lord Raglan (fine)		8 00	40
	DWARF VARIETIES—WI	THOUT BRUSH.		
*23	Carter's Premium Gem (extra early)	1½ feet.		1 00
24	McLean's Blue Peter (extra early)	8 inches.		1 00
*25	McLean's Little Gem (fine) extra early	/1 foot.	7 00	40
	Tom Thumb, (extra early)		7 00	40
27	Bishop's Dwarf, (early)	1 foot.	6 00	30 °
28	Bishop's Long Pod, (early)	11 "	6 00	30
29	Blue Eclipse (late)	1½ ''		50

Those marked \* are Wrinkled Marrows, and should be planted thicker than the round Peas, as they are more liable to rot—they are the finest flavored of all the Peas.

KINDS.—We recommend, for the first crop, Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, also 25; for second crop, Nos. 7 and 8; for general crop, Nos. 10, 11, and 17; for late crop, Nos. 20 and 22. For small gardens, Nos. 23, 25 and 27. No. 25 is one of the finest in cultivation.

CULTURE.—Light, dry soil, not over rich, suits the Pea. Plant as early as the ground can be worked, and again every two weeks, for succession throughout the season. Plant in single or double rows, from four to six feet apart, according to the different heights, about an inch apart in the row, and four inches deep. In Summer, plant eight or ten inches deep. Hoe often. The tall sorts can be made to bear more freely by pinching in.

#### PEPPER-PIMENT-Pimiento-Pfeffer.

79	lb. 🛱 oz.		₩ lb. ₩ oz.
1 Red Cherry \$4	00 40	5 Large Squash	\$4 00 40
2 Red Chili 5			
3 Sweet Spanish (for Salad) 5			
4 Sweet Mountain (for		8 Large Bell	4 00 40
Mangoes) 4	00 40	9 New Oxheart	5 00 50

Kinds.—No. 2 is the very small sort used for Pepper Sauce; the others are best for main crop.

Culture.—Sow in hot-beds in March, or in open ground in a seed-bed in middle of Spring, in light, warm ground. When three inches high, transplant to eighteen inches apart each way, and cover with Hand Glass. Hoe frequently.

#### POTATO-POMME DE TERRE-Patata-Rartoffel.

The prices may vary as the season advances.

		bush	el.	bar	rel.
- 1	Thorburn's Early Paragon, the best early yet intro-				
	duced, pure white skin and flesh	\$:3	()()	6	00
2	Early Snowflake, pure white flesh	3	00	6	00
3	Early Vermont, habit of Early Rose, but earlier.	2	00	4	00
4	Early Favorite, early and productive, white flesh.		00	4	00
5	Early Oneida, white flesh, with red and white skin		()()	4	00
	King of the Early, or Breeze's No. 4		00	4	00
7	Early Rose, blush skin and white flesh	2	00	4	00
8	Early Goodrich, white skin and flesh	2	00	4	00
9	Brownell's Beauty, reddish skin and white flesh	2	00	4	00
10	Compton's Surprise, reddish-purple skin and	Į.			
	white flesh		00	4	00
11	Tuttle's Excelsior, Seedling of Early Rose (fine)	2	00	4	00
12	Climax, white skin and flesh	2	00	4	00
13	Prolific, or Breeze's No. 2, white flesh	2	00	4	00
14	Eureka, white skin and flesh	3	50	7	00
15	Peerless, or Breeze's No. 6, white skin and flesh.	2	00	4	00
16	Excelsior, white skin and white flesh	. 2	00	4	00
17	Idaho, pure white skin and flesh, very productive	2	()()	4	00
18	Calico, mottled skin and white flesh	2	00	4	00
19	Thorburn's Late Rose, of all Winter sorts the best	2	()()	4	00
20	Thorburn's White Rose, new and first-class	3	50	7	00

KINDS.—Nos. from 1 to 8 are the earliest sorts; Nos. 10, 11 and 12 are recommended for general crop; Nos. 19 and 20 for late crop.

CULTURE.—To grow healthy Potatoes and free from rot, it is necessary to plant them very early in the season, in good rich soil, that has been liberally manured the previous year. When the plants make their appearance above ground, apply to each hill a double-handful each of wood-ashes and plaster, mixed; if kept free from weeds, a large crop will be the result. To have Potatoes very early, the seed must be sprouted, i. e., it must have made an advancement in growth of at least an inch. This sprout should be strong and well developed, its thickness about that of the stem of a common tobacco pipe, and its top crowned with green buds just bursting into leaf; at the bottom of the sprout are emitted, or in the course of emission, small, thread-like roots, which, as soon as planted, take possession of the soil. Here is the great secret of obtaining early Potatoes.

To acquire this stage of advancement, many expedients are resorted to. It is the natural habit to sprout early; indeed oftentimes there is a difficulty in retarding this movement, for if the sprout is too long it runs great risk of being knocked off in course of setting. The mode generally adopted is, in January and February, place them in baskets, not over a peck in each, in a room that is *light and warm*.

#### PUMPKIN—CITROUILLE— Calabaza—(Stroke Riirbis.

	#9	lb.	₩ oz.	₩ 1b.	₩ oz.
1	Large Cheese \$	60	10 3	Improved Mam'th_\$4 00	40
2	Cushaw 1	0.0	10 4	Connecticut Field Pat.	25

Kinds.—No. 1 is the best for family use; No. 3 is very large, some specimens weighing over 200 pounds; No. 4 for stock.

CULTURE.—May be planted middle of Spring, among the Indian Corn, or in the field or garden, in hills eight or ten feet apart each way, four seeds in a hill. In other respects, are cultivated in the same manner as Melons and Cucumbers; but avoid planting them anywhere near other vines.

## RADISH—RADIS ET RAVE—Rabanos and Rabanitos—Radics und Rettio.

	*	? lb	. \$2	oz.		*	1 lt	. 19	oz.		
1	French Breakfast8	\$1	25	15	12	Wht. Summer Turnip	1	25	15		
2	Wood's Early Frame		75	10	13	Yel. Summer Turnip	1	50	15		
3	Early Scarlet Turnip	1	00	10	14	Purple "Turnip	2	00	20		
4	"White "	1	00	10	15	Gray "Turnip	1	50	15		
5	" Yellow "	1	00	10	16	Gray "Turnip. Black Spanish	1	25	15		
6	Scarlet Olive-shaped	1	50	15	17	White Spanish.	1	00	10		
	White "					Scarlet Chinese					
8	Long Scarlet Short-					Winter	2	00	20		
	Top		75	10	19	California (Large White					
9	Long Salmon		75	10		winter)			40		
10	Long Purple	2	00	20	20	Raphanus caudatus,					
11	Long White Naples	1	50	15		or edible pod radish			75		

Kinds.—Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 8 are best for early sowing; Nos. 3, 6 and 8 succession; Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 15 are best for Summer sowing; Nos. 16, 17 and 18 for Winter use; No. 18 is the best sort—keeps like a Turnip.

CULTURE.—Sow Nos. from 1 to 8 as early in Spring as ground can be worked, and every two weeks till the 15th of June, from which time sow Nos. 11 to 15, till first of September. Nos. from 16 to 19 should be sown from first of August to the first of September. A light, rich soil suits best.

#### RHUBARB—RHUBARBE—Ruibarbo—Mhabarber.

Linnæus, 25 cents Poz.; \$2 Plb. | Roots, 25 cts. each; \$2 Pdoz.

CULTURE.—Sow in drills an inch deep; thin out to six inches apart; in the Fall trench a piece of ground, and manure it well; then transplant the young plants into it, three feet apart each way; cover with leaves or litter the first Winter, and a dressing of coarse manure should be given every Fall.

#### ROQUETTE.

30 cents Pounce.

CULTURE.—Sow in early Spring, in rows, and thin out to eight or ten inches.

#### SALSIFY, or Vegetable Oyster—Salsifis—Ostion Vegetal— Hardward Salsifis—Ostion Vegetal—

Long White, \$1.05; \$1.25; \$2 oz., 20 cents.

CULTURE.—Sow as early as the ground can be worked in the Spring, in drills twelve inches apart, one inch deep, and thin out to six inches in a row. Keep them clear from weeds. Cultivate the same as for Carrots and Parsnips.

#### SAVOY.

#### SCOLIME.

SCORZONERA—Scorzonere—Escorconera—Scorzionwurzel.
30 cents \$\pi\$ oz; \$3.00 \$\pi\$ lb.

CULTURE.—Cultivate precisely in the same manner as Salsify.

#### SKIRRET-CHERVIS-3ucferwurzel.

30 cents # ounce.

CULTURE.—Sow in drills half an inch deep and a foot apart; thin out to eight inches in a row; keep down the weeds. Take up the roots before Winter, and store in sand or earth.

#### SORREL-OSEILLE--Acedera--Sauerampfer.

Garden, 15 cents # ounce; \$1.00 # lb.

CULTURE.—Sow in Spring, in drills six or eight inches apart.

#### SPINACH-Epinards-Espinaca-Spinat.

	<b>19</b>	lb. #8	oz.			铅	lb. 🐉	oz.
1	New Large Viroflay \$1	0.0	10	5	Prickly		50	10
	Flander							
3	Round-Leaved	40	10	7	New Zealand (Sum-			
4	YellowSorrel-Leaved	60	10		mer)	1	50	15
	KINDSNos. 1, 2 and 3:							

for Fall and Winter, in this latitude; No. 5 is the most hardy.

CULTURE.—Rich soil. Sow a half inch deep, and a foot between the rows. Thin out to eight inches. Sow as soon as frost is out of the ground, and hoe frequently to prevent the plants running to seed. For Winter crop sow end of August and in September. Lay straw between the rows at approach of Winter, and very thinly over the leaves.

#### SPROUTS.

1 Spring, or Rape, P quart, 40 cents.

2 Winter, or Siberian Kale, ♥ lb., \$1.00; ♥ oz., 15 cents.
CULTURE.—Sow No. 1 very early in Spring, and No. 2 in September.

#### SQUASH.—GIRAUMON— Calabaza.—Rüchenfürbis.

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	Po lb Po	OZ.			₩ lb.	B oz.
1 Early Golden Bush	.\$1 00	10 7	Boston Mai	rrow	\$1 50	15
2 Early Green Striped		8	Hubbard		1 50	25
Bush						
3 Early White Scallop		10	Turban		1 50	15
Bush	1 00	10 11	Nantucket		2 00	20
4 Summer Crook-Neck	. 1 00	10 12	Mammoth	Chili	4 00	40
5 Yokohama	2 50	25 13	Eng. Veg.	Marrow	2 50	25
6 New Marblehead						
Kinds.—Nos.from 1 to	4 are th	ne best :	sorts for early	y Summer	use ;	Nos.

5 and 10 are the best for late and Winter use; Nos 5, 6 and 8 are particularly recommended.

CULTURE.—Plant in hills, in the same manner, and at the same time as Cucumbers and Melons; the Bush three or four feet apart, and the running kind from six to nine.

#### TOBACCO SEED—Tabak.

	P lb F	oz.	₹9 1	b. 🙀	oz.
Imported Havana	\$7 00	75	James River Virginia \$5	0.0	50
Connecticut Seed Leaf	4 00	40	Missouri 5	-00	50
Maryland					
Florida				1	0.0
Ohio	5 00	50	" Large-leaved	1	00
			" Pointed-leaf	1	00

#### TOMATO-TOMATE-Tomatos-Viebesapfel

	TOMATO-TOMATE-Tomation-, testemplet.												
	₩ 1b	. #3	oz.		\$2 lb	. % 02.							
1	The Trophy, selected \$6	00	50	14	Lyman's Mammoth								
2						00 - 40							
	Early Red Smooth. 3	00	30	15	English Grape Shot 5	00 - 50							
4	General Grant 3	00	30	16	Yellow Plum 4	00 40							
<b>\</b> 5	Valencia Cluster 3	00	30	17	Large Yellow 4	00 - 40							
6	Conqueror 6	00	50	18	Golden Trophy 8	00 75							
		00	30	19	Green Gage 6	00 - 60							
						00 - 40							
9	Tilden 3	00	30	21	Yellow Cherry 4	00 - 40							
	Hathaway's Excelsion 3	00	30	22		00 40							
11					RedCurrant(Very small)5	00 50							
12	New Broad-Leaved					1.00							
	Dwarf 8	00	75			00 40							
13	Blounts' Champion					00 50							
	Cluster 10												

Kinds.—Nos. 2, 3 and 6 are the earliest; Nos. 1, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 10 best for main crop; Nos. 16, 17, 20, 21 and 23 for pickles and preserves; Nos. 1 and 7 are very solid. No. 24 is the French upright variety, entirely distinct in its habit and growth. Nos. 25 and 26 are Winter Cherries sometimes called Strawberry Tomato; they are excellent for preserves.

CULTURE. - Sow in hot-bed in March, and transplant into the open

ground when weather becomes warm and settled, or sow in open ground in May, and transplant when plants are six inches high, four feet distant from each other. Soil should be made rich and light.

#### TURNIP-NAVET-Nabo-Rüben.

	**	lb.	₩ oz.		₩	lb.	₩ oz.
1	Early Dutch\$0	75	10	13	Yellow Malta\$1	50	
	German Teltow1				Yellow Stone	75	10
3	Cow Horn	75	10	15	Yellow Aberdeen	75	10
4	Red Top Strap-Leaf	75	10-	16	Robson's Gold'n Ball	75	10
5	White Norfolk	75	10	17	Orange Jelly	75	10
6	White Strap-L'f Flat	75			Yellow Finland 1	50	20
7	White Flat or Globe.	75	10	19	Yellow Globe	75	10
	White French	75	10	20	Yellow French	75	10
9	Green Globe	75	10	21	Improved Ruta Baga	75	10
10	Green Barrel	75			White Ruta Baga	75	10
11	Jersey Navet (true) _ 1	50	20	23	Laing's Ruta Baga	75	10
	Long White Tankard	75	10	24	Skirving's Ruta Baga	75	10
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KINDS.—Nos. 1, 4 and 6 are the best for Spring sowing; Nos. 3, 4, 6, 8, 14 and 16 for Fall and Winter.

Culture.—For Early Turnips, sow as soon as ground opens in Spring. Nos. 8, 20, 21 and 23 should be sown from any time in July to 1st of August: but the other kinds, for Winter use, may be sown from middle of July to end of August. Turnips are generally sown broadcast, but much larger crops are obtained (particularly of the Ruta Baga) by cultivating them in drills twelve inches apart, and thinned to six inches in the drill, one pound to the acre.

#### VARIOUS KINDS OF VEGETABLES USED FOR PICKLES.

Directions for Culture of each will be found under the proper head.

Directions for Cutture of each will	oo jourou	COPPE	01 010	c proper neces	ce.	
Refugee Beans	Wbus.	\$4	50	₩ qt.	\$0	25
Blood Turnip Beet	₩lb.		75	₩ oz.		10
Brussels Sprouts		2	00	66		20
Red Dutch Cabbage		3	00	6.6		30
Early Paris Cauliflower		10	00	6.6	1	00
White Spined Cucumber	6.6.	1	00	66		15
Gherkin.	66	4	00	***		40
Martynia	2.6-	4	00.	+6		40
Mango Melon	66-	2	00	6.6		20
Scarlet Gem Melon				_ # pkt.		25
Tall Nasturtium	6.6	1	50	Doz.		15
White Portugal Onion	5.6	3	00	"		30
Sweet Mountain Pepper	6.6	4	00			40
Chili	6.6	5	00	11		50
Strawberry Tomato	66	4	00	£ 6		40
Red Cherry do	6.6	4	00	**		40
Yellow do do	66	4	00	66		40
Green Gage do	6.6	6	00	**		60

#### VARIOUS KINDS OF VEGETABLES USED FOR SALADS.

Burnet	Poz.	20	Lettuce	P lb.	\$3	00	Poz.	30
Bornere #0 1h &1 50	1 60	20	Manadamal	•				
Celery 4 00	)	40	Crusat Chanish				' ^	
Corn Salau 1 00	,	15 10	Ponnor	et	5	00	Poz.	50
Cress			Roquette				- 66	30
Endive 2 00		-10	Sorrel			00	4.4	15

POT, SWEET AND ME.	DICINAL HERB SE	ED	S.
	\$	OZ.	₩ lb.
	_Anethum graveolens\$0		\$1 00
Sweet Fennell	fæniculum	15	1 00
Garden Angelica	_Archangelica officinalis_	25	2.50
Arnica	_Arnica montana 2	50	
Wormwood	_Artemisia absinthium	40	4 00
Belladonna	Atropa Belladonna	75	
Borage	Borago officinalis	20	2 00
Pot Marigold	_Calendula officinalis	40	4 00
Saffron	Carthamus tinctorius	15	1 50
Hemlock	Conium maculatum.	50	
Carraway	Carum carvi	10	1 00
Coriander	Coriandrum sativum	15	1 50
Purple Foxglove		-50	
Boneset	Eupatorium perfoliatum 1	00	
Boneset Liquorice	Glycyrrhiza olahra 1	00	
Pennyroyal	Hedeoma nulegioides	75	
Henbane	Hyosevamus niger	40	4 00
Elecamnane	Inula helenium	60	1 00
Elecampane Hyssop	Hyseopus officinalis	30	3 00
Lavender	Lavandula vara	30	3 00
Dandelion	Loontodon tarayaanm	40	4 00
Horehound	Manushing ruleare	50	
Dalm	Molisco officinalis	50	
Balm	Noneta esteria	75	7 00
Catnep	Occurred Cataria	30	3 00
Described Daste Transfer	Oeymum basincum		
Dwarf or Bushea Basu	minimum	40	
Sweet Marjoram	Origanum marjorana	30	3 00
Pot Marjoram	onites	60	7 00
Rosemary	Rosmarinus omeinalis.	50	5 00
Sweet Basil Dwarf or Bushed Basil Sweet Marjoram Pot Marjoram Rosemary Dyer's Madder	Rubia tinetoria	10	1 00
11000	. Itala graveoiens	30	3 00
Red Sage	Salvia hominum	30	
Common SageSummer Savory	" officinalis	20	2 00
Summer Savory	Satureja hortensis	25	2 50
Winter Savory	montana	40	4 00
Winter Savory	Sesamum orientale	20	2 00
Tansy Thyme, French	Tanacetum vulgare 1	50	
Thyme, French	Thymus vulgaris	40	4 00
Broad-Leaved English Thyme		50	5 00
Broad-Leaved English ThymeAnise	Pimpinella Trajium	10	1 00
Fenugreek	Trigonella Fænumgræcum	10	1 00
FRUIT			
Pear Seed 39 lb \$2.50 39 oz \$0.25	Mixed Strawberry	07	\$1 00
Pear Seed. # lb. \$2.50. # oz. \$0 25 Apple Seed. # bus. \$7 # qt. 40 Quince Seed. # lb. \$2.50 # oz. 25	Red Alpine Strawberry	6.6	1 00
Onince Seed 10 lb \$2.50 10 oz 25	Black Mazzard Cherry Pits	72 (1	
Currant, White Cherry 50	Mahajeh Cherry Pits	66 1	50
" Red Dutch " 40	Mahaleb Cherry Pits	Th.	75
" White Dutch " 50	Nectarine Pits	16	1 25
" Versailles " 50	Plum Pits	qt.	40
	Hard-Shell Almond	46	40
ited Cherry	Peach Pits, \$\pi\$ bus. \$1 50,	66	10
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Osage Orange	ıra aurantıaca, 🤁 bus. \$10 🖥	7 10.	\$0 75
Hawthorn Honey Locust, or Three-Thorned Acacia Buckthorn	Cratægus oxycantha		1 25
Honey Locust, or Three-Thorned Acacid	Gleditschia triacanthos	66	75
Buckthorn	Rhamnus catharticus		1 50
Yellow Locust	. Kobinia pseud-acacia	66	75
Privet Janan	Ligustrum Japonicum	6.6	3 00
Sheep Berry	Viburnum prunifolium	0.0	1 50
Sheep Berry American Arbor Vita Berberry (clean seed)	Thuja occidentalis		5 00
Berberry (clean seed)	Berberis vulgaris	6.6	2 00

## New and other Vegetables of Merit.

#### FOR TRIAL.

BEANS, Dreer's Imroved Lima, From small experiments made with this sort last season, we are sufficiently pleased to recommend it on a larger scale	\$1 00
BEET, Beck's Curled Sea Kale. The ribs of this root, when boiled, are said to resemble in taste the Sea Kale	50
BEET, Dell's Flower Garden, very dark leaves, suitable for ribbon borders	30
CABBAGE, Silver Leaf Drumhead. A very large solid and popular New Jersey Sort	50
CARROT, Half Long Carenton. A new thin variety, very short top, entirely without core, valuable for forcing	40
CELERY, Apple Celeriac, a new variety of the turnip-rooted celery, large, round, smooth bulb, with pure white flesh, fine flavor	50
CORN SALAD, Lettuce-Leaved, large light green leaves, and of excellent quality	50
CHICORY, Large-Rooted Brussels, in Belgium the seeds of this very interesting new vegetable are sown in June and transplanted in October into a trench four feet wide and one foot deep, in drills eight inches apart, and the plants one inch apart in the drill. Before planting, the leaves are cut two inches from the top, then covered with about eight inches of well-sifted light soil, after which cover the whole with manure from two to three feet thick. Three or four weeks afterwards, the roots will have produced fine, tender leaved-heads, of a pale yellow color, in the shape of a Paris cos lettuce, to be eaten as a salad or boiled. ? Oz.	50
CUCUMBER, Tallby's Hybrid, a cross between the English frame and white spined, said to be as hardy as the last named, and partaking of the fine quality of the former? pkt.	15
CUCUMBER, Green Prolific Pickling, a new variety and best of all for pickling, the color is dark green, remarkably uniform in growth, producing, with good cultivation, 200,000 pickles to the acre. 9 lb., \$5; \$9 oz.	50
EGG PLANT, Extra Early Dwarf Purple, this new sort is said to be from two to three weeks earlier than the older sorts, fine quality & paper	25
LETTUCE, American Gathering, a distinct and interesting sort with crisp, light green leaves, edged with violet	25
LETTUCE, Australian Yellow Curled, a new tender and crisp variety standing for a long time before running to seed	50
LETTUCE, Golden Stone Head, a new sort, forming solid golden hearts, fit for use during a long period, valuable for forcing or the open ground paper	50
PARSLEY, New Fern-Leaved, new and distinct, exquisite in form and color, for garnishing	50
PARSNIP, New Maltese, the base of the leaf-stems present the appearance of a Multese cross	25
PEAS Plymouth Rock, the earliest variety in cultivation, size and color, resembling the "Little French Peas"	50
PEAS, Blocksberg Golden, excellent second early sort, with golden yellow pods, very productive and fine quality	2 00
PEPPER, Spanish Monstrous, new, sweet sort, the fruit is cylindrical in all its length, and when ripe, heautiful coral-red in color, very fleshy $v$ oz.	50
POTATOES, Thorburn's White Late Rose, partaking of all the excellent qualities and habits of our "Late Rose," even in shape; differing from the latter, however, in color, being a pure white. \$\geq\$ bush. \$\frac{3}{8}.50;\$\$\$ pbbl.	7 00
SQUASH, Butman's, a cross between the Hubbard and Yokohama, a first-class dry Winter squash	15
TOMATO, Broad-Leaved Dwarf, an entirely new and distinct brilliant red variety, early productive, and fine sweet flavor	75
TOMATO, Green Gage, a great acquisition, producing clusters of citron-colored fruit of exquisite flavor	60
TURNIP, Yellow Red Top, a new variety, golden yellow with red top, sweet and solid	20

#### Tree and Shrub Seeds.

For description and many other Kinds, see our Tree and Shrub Seed Catalogue.

Catalogue.				
Sold in quantities of not less than one ounce.				
		lb.	#	oz.
Abies balsamea, Balsam Fir	\$2			25
" Douglasů, Douglas' Fir	10		1	00
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Acer negundo, Ash-Leaved Maple	3	00		30
" saccharinum, Sugar Maple	2			25
macrophymam, from contamination	3			30
Ailanthus glandulosa, Ailanthus		00		40
Arctostaphylos Californica Betula populifolia, Poplar-Leaved Birch	5			50 30
Calycanthus Floridus, Sweet-Scented Shrub.		00		30
Ceanothus integerrimus	16		1	50
Cornus Florida, White-Flowering Dogwood.	1	00	1	20
"Nutallia, Nuttall's Dogwood.	4	00		40
Cupressus Lawsoniana, Lawson's Cypress	12	00	1	00
" macrocarpa, Large-Fruited Cypress		00	ı	60
Eucalyptus globosus, Australian Gum Tree	18		1	50
Fraxinus alba, White Ash.	1	50		25
" quadrangulata, Blue Ash	3	00		30
" sambucifolia, or Black Ash	2	00		25
Frangula Purshiana, from California	6	00		60
Fremontia Californica	36	00	;}	00
Gleditschia triacanthos, Honey Locust		75		10
Gymnocladus Canadensis, Kentucky Coffee Tree	2	00		25
Larix European European Larch	2	()()		25
Libocedrus decurrens	10	00	1	()()
Libocedrus decurrens Maclura aurantiaca, Osage Orange, P bush. 33 lbs. \$10		7.5		
Mimosa Julibrissin	5	()()		50
Morus alba, White Mulberry	4	00		4()
Picea amabilis, Lovely Silver Fir	10	00	1	00
" grandis, Great Silver Fir	12	00	1	00
Pinus aristata, from California	12	00	1	00
Coulteri,	8	00		75
nexins,		00	1	00
Fremomeana,	12	00	1	00
insignis,		00		75
Jenreyana,		00		75 60
Lambernana,		00		75
Liaveana,		00	1	00
" monticola, " ponderosa, "		00	1	60
"Sabiniana, "	-	00		50
"Torreyana, "		00		60
'' Austriaca, Austrian Pine,		00		25
" rigida, Pitch Pine	4	00		40
" strobus, Weymouth Pine	-1	00		40
" sylvestris, Scotch Fir	:)	00		30
Robinia pseud-acacia, Yellow Locust		75		10
Sequoia gigantea, Big Tree of California	24	00	5	()()
" sempervirens, from California	10	()()	1	()()
Spiræa Douglasü, from Colorado	8	00		75
ariæfolia, from Colorado	8	()()		75
ariæfolia, from Colorado				
(417) Art				75
Thuja occidentalis, American Arbor Vita (clean seed)		00		50
" orientalis. Chinese do		00		40
" gigantea, Giant, of California		()()	1	25
Ulmus Americana, or American Elm	3	()()		30

#### GRASS SEEDS.

The best means of improving Meadows, Pastures and Lawns is to sow a sufficient variety of Grass Seeds, and we trust our numerous customers will give some of the kinds a trial in connection with Timothy, which, by many, is believed to be about the only Grass to be sown.

- Agrostis vulgaris, or Red Top Grass—a valuable native permanent grass as a mixture in either meadows, pastures or lawns, growing in almost any soil, moist or dry, and standing well our hot climate.
- # 50 lb. bag, \$6 00, # bus. \$2 00

  Aira cæspitosa, or Hassock Grass—a coarse grass, preferring stiff and marshy bottoms,—thriving well in moist and shady woodlands; in England, door-mats are formed of it by the rural cottagers...# lb. 35 cents.
- Aira flexuosa, or Wood Hair Grass—delights on high and rocky hills; is of little agricultural value except for sheep pastures. ## lb. 35 cents.
- Anthoxanthum odoratum, or Sweet Vernal Grass—for a mixture with pasture grasses it is valuable on account of its vernal growth, and also continuing to throw up root foliage until late in the Autumn; for meadows its chief merits are its fragrant odor, which the leaves emit when partially dried, thus sweetening hay—it is a vegetable condiment rather than as a grass of much nutritive value.
- Avena elatior, or Tall Meadow Out Grass—is most valuable for pastures on account of its early and luxuriant growth; it produces an abundant supply of foliage, which is relished by cattle early and late.
- Avena flavescens, or Yellow Out Grass—This will not thrive well when sown alone, but sown with other varieties, such as Crested Dogstail, Sweet Vernal, &c.,—it becomes desirable for dry meadows

- Festuca duriuscula, or Hard Fescue—not very productive, but it is of a very fine quality, and thriving well in dry situations where many other grasses would fail, thus making it a desirable pasture variety ## 1b. 25 cents.
- Festuca loliacea, or Spiked Fescue—possesses all the valuable properties of Rye Grass, and its produce is said to be larger; thrives best in low meadows and pastures—it springs very early in the season.

  30 lb. 60 cents.
- Festuca pratensis, or Meudow Fescue—a highly valuable species for permanent grass land; it does not, however, attain to its full productive powers till the second or third year, when, however, it far exceeds most other sorts in the quantity of its produce and nutritive matter; it is relished by live stock, both in hay and pasture.

₽ lb. 45 cents.

- Festuca tenuifolia, or Stender Fescue—flourishes well on dry and sterile soils; it is well suited for large bleaching greens... \$\tilde{\phi}\$ lb. 50 cents.
- Holous lanatus, or Meadow Soft Grass—inferior to many other sorts, but has the merit of easy culture, and accommodates itself to all descriptions of soils, from the richest to the poorest\_\_\_\_\_\_ \$\varphi\$ bus. \$\\$3.00

- Onobrychis sativa, or Sainfoin—a perennial leguminous plant used extensively in France as a Forage plant; requires a calcareous soil.

P bus. \$5 00, lb lb. 30 cents.

- Phalaris arundinacea, or Reed Canary Grass—grows well by the side of rivers, alluvial marshes, ditches, &c................ 滑 lb. 75 cents.

- Poa pratensis, or Extra Clean Blue Grass—also known as Green Grass, June Grass, &c., thrives on a variety of soils, but does best in dry and somewhat shady locations; it requires several years to become well established in the ground as a pasture grass—very valuable for our Southern States, as it will stand the hottest Summers.
- Fine Mixed Lawn Grass, for lawns of any extent, we recommend this mixture sown from three to four bushels to the acre. #9 bus. \$3.50

#### FORMATION OF LAWNS FROM SEEDS.

In the first place, see that your ground is thoroughly drained and well prepared, sociang at least three bushels of seed to the acre.

Perhaps the best description of soil for a lawn is the stiff loam or clayey soils which predominate in so many districts. This ought not to be by any means too rich, as a rapid growth is not wanted in the grasses of a lawn; but in preparing it for laying down, let the surface be as much alike in quality as possible, and do not stint the quantity of seed. A very stiff clay is no better than a very dry sand for resisting drought, as it is in a measure sealed up against the insertion of roots, and the surface con tracting by the withdrawal of moisture, it is liable to crack, &c., to a great depth. Nevertheless, a stiff soil usually makes the best lawn.

If your ground is in condition to raise a good crop of potatoes, it will make a good lawn, adding about half a ton of Bone Dust to the acre, harrowed in before sowing the seed. The success of establishing a good lawn depends much on the season and condition of the ground at the time of sowing. A very slight raking in will protect the seed much, or a sowing of wood ashes will render them distasteful to birds. Rolling, however, is at all times indispensable.

The best time to sow Lawn Grass Seed is early in the Spring, or about the latter part of August. We prefer the early Spring.

One important thing ought not to be forgotten in the preparation of the ground. Let it all have a surface of about six inches alike, for nothing looks worse than to see a lawn grow all in patches. One exception, however, may be mentioned, and that is, if there be any steep slopes facing the south, or other exposed places, let the earth on them be better than on the ground level, for the aspect, and other causes, render such places liable to burn with less sun than level places. They ought, therefore, to be of a better material, and sod ought to be provided to lay there if accuracy be expected. When the grass becomes well established, it should be frequently cut. The oftener you mow, the finer your grass will be.

It is proper here to observe that no lawn can be maintained long in good order without successive rollings. Mowing alone will not secure a good bottom without that compression which the roller tends to give.

#### CLOVERS.

Yellow TrefoilMedica	ago lupulina # lb	\$0 50
Lucerne, or French Clover	sativa	50
Red CloverTrifol	ium pratense_about "	15
Large Red, or Pea-Vine		20
White Clover	repens "	50
Crimson Clover	incarnatum "	40
Alsike Clover	hybridum "	55
*Bokhara CloverMelile	otus alba	75
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\*A most valuable sort for soiling, it grows from three to four feet high the first season, and if sown in rich soil, may be cut three times during the Summer and Fall; lasts two years.

#### BIRD SEEDS.

#### GRAINES POUR LES OISEAUX.

Prices variable—By the Quart or Bushel.				
Canary	out	#	qt.	35
HempCannabis sativa	6.6		66	20
Maw(Blue Poppy)				
Millet, (American)				
" (White French)	6.6		6.6	40
" (Red French)	44		8.6	40
Lettuce Seed, per oz., 10 cents	6.6	#	lb.	50
RapeBrassica napus	44	#	qt.	25
Rough RiceOryza sativa	**		4.6	25
Prepared Food for Mocking Birds, \$\po\\$ bottle 40 cer				

#### Brusie's Lawn Sprinklers.

FROM \$10.50 to \$15 EACH.

## Esculent Roots and Plants. Plantes et Racines Potageres.

Asparagus Roots, Conover's Collossal. \$1.00 \$ 100, \$8.00	¥ 1,000
Sea Kale Roots # doz	en, \$1 00
Horse Radish Roots # 100 \$1.00; # doz Rhubarb Roots # doz	en, 25
Rhubarb Roots doz	en, \$2 00
Dioscorea Batata, or Chinese Yam	en, \$2 00
Jerusalem Artichoke	25
Jerusalem Artichoke	en, \$3 00

CABBAGE, CAULIFLOWER, BROCOLI, BRUSSELS SPROUTS, CELERY, TOMATO, EGG PLANT, SWEET POTATO PLANTS, Etc., Etc., at the proper Season.

#### Miscellaneous.

Jute Seed # lb. \$5.00; # oz.	50	White Lupins # qt. \$0	50
Osage Orange #qt.75c. # bus. \$10	00	Yellow Lupins.	50
Chicory Seed 1	00	Blue Lupins "	50
Chinese Sugar Cane # at	25	Heavy English Oats P bus. 3	00
	25	Caterpillars P paper,	10
Broom Corn (Mohawk	~0	Spurry # lb.	30
	25	Fuller's Teasels.	40
valley)	20		
Broom Corn (Improved		Spring Vetches, Pbush. \$4; Pqt.	20
	25	Round Scotch Scythe-stones,	
Sun Flower	30	each	25
Sea Island Cotton # 1b.	30	Gishurst Compound P box	75
Tennessee Upland Cotton "	30	Whale Oil Soap in Boxes, per	
	25		25
	00	Robinson's Concentrated Gar-	
	00	den Manure, in tin cans, ea.	50
	40	Improved Excelsior Lawn	
Opium Poppy, Poz.25c.; " 2	00	Mowers (best size)25	00
	40	Archangel Mats 75c. ea.; Pdoz. 8	00
Caper Tree	25		25
Fenugreek. 1	00	Asperula odorata (Waldmeis-	
Cuba Bast (for tying) "	75		10
Roffea (for tying) "	75		10
Hop Seed Poz. 1	50	Similar a succession and a succession an	20

BOOKS.		
How to Grow Mushrooms	(Wm. Early)	\$0 40
Gardening for the South	(Wm. N. White)	2 00
The Young Gardener's Assistant(	Thomas Bridgeman)	2 50
Every Woman Her Own Flower Gardener	(Daisy Eyebright)	1 00
Breck's Book of Flowers.	(Breck)	1 75
Window Gardening	Henry T Williams)	1 50
Turner's Cotton Planter's Manual		1 50
Grasses and Forage Plants	(C. L. Flint)	2 50
Hand-Book of Grasses	(Jno. Henderson)	1 50
Field's Pear Culture		1 25
Fuller's Grape Culture		1 50
Flower Garden Directory		1 50
Gardening for Profit	(P. Henderson)	1 50
Forest Tree Culturist.		1 50
Forest Trees for Shelter		1 50
Practical Floriculture		1 50
Small Fruit Culturist		1 50
Miniature Fruit Garden		1 00
Saunder's Domestic Poultry		75
Downing's Selected Fruits		5 00
Downing's Cottage Residence	3'4' 111	6 00
Hand Book of Hardy Trees and Shrubs—English	eartion, based on the	0.00
French work of Decaisne and Naudin		8 00

#### HORTICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

ASPARAGUS KNIVES\$	1 5	25 to \$2	00
CORN KNIVES each			50
AVARANCATORS, or POLE PRUNING SHEARS "		2	75
VINE SCISSORS.—For thinning out Grapes "	1	00 to 2	00
FLOWER GATHERERSFor cutting and holding the			
flower	1	25 to 2	00
FRENCH SPRING PRUNING SHEARS	2	00 to 4	00
AMERICAN DO. DO. Warranted material			
LADIES' WOOD-HANDLED GARDEN SHEARS	2	00 to 2	50
HEDGE SHEARS.—Six sizes and styles			
GRASS BORDER SHEARS.—For cutting Grass Borders	3	50 to 4	50
GRASS EDGING KNIVES			
PRUNING SAWS			
CAST-STEEL PRUNING CHISEL	1	50 to 2	00
GARDEN REELS.—Various sizes and patterns			
LADIES' SHORT-HANDLED GARDEN FORKS			
TRANSPLANTING TROWELS.—(English Cast-steel)			00
DO. DO. (American)			
DUTCH, or PUSH HOES.—(Cast-steel) from 2 to 10 inches			00
		35 to 1	50
DO. DO. (German steel) from 3 to 10 in TRIANGULAR HOES.—Are also used as Tree Scrapers		50 to	75
LADIES' GARDEN HOES		60 to	75
CORN HOES		50 to	75
LAWN RAKES.—Are used to cut off the flower-heads or buds			
of Daisies, Dandelions, etc., on Lawns		00 to 4	00
CAST-STEEL GARDEN RAKES WITH HANDLES			
ENGLISH BILL HOOKS-For pruning with one hand			
GREEN HOUSE SYRINGES.—(Brass) Pool's best make			
GRASS HOOKS, or SICKLES.—Three sizes.			
POTATO HOOKS.—(Cast-steel teeth)			00
BRUSH HOOKS			00
STONE HOOKS.—For gathering and picking up cobbles			00
BRUSH SCYTHES		2	00
AMES' C. S. BRIGHT SPADES.—Long and short handled.		1	50
DO. DO. Small size, for Ladies		1	25
AMES' BEST C. S. BRIGHT SHOVELSLong and short			
handled		1	50
BEST SPADING FORKS			50
ENGLISH PATENT C. S. LAWN SCYTHES.	. 2	00 to 2	75
SAYNOR & COOKE'S CELEBRATED PRUNING			
KNIVES		00 to 3	00
SAYNOR & COOKE'S CELEBRATED BUDDING			
KNIVES.	. 2	00 to 2	50
ROUND SCOTCH SCYTHES			25
CHILDREN'S AND LADIES' SETS GARDEN TOOLS.	2	50 to 4	1 00
LADIES' FLORAL SETS			75
EXCELSIOR WEEDING HOOK			30

## Complete Assortments of Kitchen Carden Seeds for Private Families.

Choice Sorts	Most Approved and s, in Quantities to suit arge Gardens.	No. 1. \$5.	No. 2. \$10.	No. 3. \$18.	No. 4 \$25.
Beans	Early Valentine	1 pt.	1 qt.	1 qt.	2 qt.
	Early China			1 qt.	1 qt.
	White Wax Bush	⅓ pt.	1 pt. 1 pt.	1 qt. 1 qt.	1 qt. 1 qt.
********	Horticultural Pole Large Lima	1 pt.	1 pt.	1 qt.	1 qt.
Beet	Extra Early Egyptian	- 1 oz.	2 oz.	4 oz.	8 oz.
	Blood Turnip. Long Blood. Purple Cape.	1 oz.	2 oz.	8 oz.	8 oz.
D	Long Blood			4 oz.	8 oz.
Brussels	Spronts			½ 0%.	½ oz.
Cabbage	Sprouts Early Ox-Heart				% oz.
	Early Winningstadt	% OZ.	1/4 OZ.	16 OZ.	1/2 OZ.
****	Drumhead Savoy	% oz.	1/4 OZ.	1/2 OZ.	½ OZ.
******	Red Dutch, for Pickling	% oz.	½ OZ. ½ OZ.	1 oz.	1 oz.
Carrot	Forly Horn	½ oz.	1/2 OZ.	1 oz.	1 oz.
	Long Orange	1 oz.	½ oz. 2 oz.	4 oz.	4 oz.
Cauliflower	Nonpareil	% oz.	1/2 OZ.	1/4 OZ.	1/2 oz.
Celery	Long Orange Nonpareil. Giant White Solid Early Minnesota Sweet Sugar	1/4 OZ.	1 oz.	½ oz. 2 qt.	% OZ.
Corn	Eight Rowed Sugar	1 pt.	1 qt. 1 pt.	2 qt. 1 qt.	2 qt. 2 qt.
	Evergreen	⅓ pt.	1 pt.	1 qt.	1 qt.
Corn Salad			½ oz. 2 oz.	1 oz.	2 oz.
Cress. OR	Peppergrass	1 oz.		4 oz.	4 oz.
Cucumber	Improved White Spined Long Green	⅓ oz.	1 oz.	1 oz.	1 oz. 1 oz.
Egg Plant	Improved New York Purple	1/3 OZ.	1/4 oz.	1/2 OZ.	1 oz.
	Long Purple				1/8 OZ.
Endive		1/4 OZ.	1/2 OZ.	1 oz.	2 oz.
Kale	Green Curled Scotch		36 OZ.	1 oz.	1 oz.
Kohlrabi	Early White Vienna	½ oz. ½ oz.	½ oz. ½ oz.	1 oz.	1 oz.
Lettuce	Best Flag Early Curled Simpson's	1/4 OZ.	1/4 OZ.	½ oz.	1 oz.
	Early Curled Simpson's Butter Boston Head		1/4 OZ.	16 oz.	1/2 OZ.
	Boston Head	% oz.	1/2 OZ.	1/2 OZ.	1/2 OZ.
Molen	White Cabbage	1/4 OZ.	½ oz. ½ oz.	½ oz. 1 oz.	½ oz. 1 oz.
Melon	White Japan	1/4 oz.	½ oz.		½ oz.
	Valparaiso. White Japan. Gipsy Water. Long Green.	1/2 OZ.	l oz.	½ oz. 2 oz.	2 oz.
Okra	Long Green	1 oz.	2 oz.	4 oz.	8 oz.
Onion	Yellow Danvers	1/ 07	1 oz.	2 oz.	4 oz. 1 oz.
	Large Red.	⅓ oz. ⅓ oz.	½ oz. 1 oz.	2 oz.	4 oz.
Parsley	Extra Curled		1/2 OZ.	1 oz.	1 oz.
Parsnip	Student	1 oz.	1 oz.	4 oz.	8 oz.
Peas	Carter's First Crop	1 pt.	1 qt.	2 qt.	2 qt.
*********	McLean's Advancer Laxton's Alpha	⅓ pt.	1 pt. 1 pt.	2 qt. 1 qt.	2 qt. 2 qt.
	Champion of England	1 pt.	1 qt.	2 qt.	4 qt.
	Little Gem	1 pt.	1 qt.	1 qt.	2 qt.
D	Lord Raglan			1 qt.	1 qt.
Pepper	Sweet Mountain		% oz.	½ oz.	% oz.
Radish	French Breakfast	,	1 oz.	2 oz.	4 oz.
	Scarlet Turnip	1 oz.	2 oz.	4 oz.	8 oz.
	Gray TurnipLong Scarlet		1/2 OZ.	1 oz.	4 oz.
	Chinese Winter	1 oz.	1 oz.	4 oz.	4 oz.
Salsify	Chinese Winter	⅓ oz.	% oz. 2 oz.	½ oz. 4 oz.	1 oz. 8 oz.
Salsify Spinach Squash	Round	% lb.	⅓ lb.	½ lb.	1 lb.
Squash	Early Bush Crook-Neck	% oz.	1/2 OZ.	1 oz.	2 oz.
*******	Marblehead	1/2 OZ.	% 0Z.	1 oz.	1 oz.
Tomato	Boston Marrow	減 oz. 場 oz.	½ OZ.	½ oz.	1 oz.
Tomato	The Trophy. Large Yellow Cook's Favorite. Red Cherry.	/3 02.	1/4 oz.	% oz.	1/2 OZ.
	Cook's Favorite	% 0Z.	% OZ.	1/2 OZ.	1 oz.
T	Red Cherry	17.00	% OZ.	% OZ.	1/2 oz.
Turnip	Red Top Strap Leaf	⅓ oz.	½ oz. 1 oz.	½ oz 2 oz.	1 oz. 4 oz.
	THE ALLEGE,		1 0%	% OZ.	
2	Yellow Stone(Five Varieties)	1 oz.	1 oz.	2 oz	4 oz.

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SEPTEMBER.	Cappage,  Cappage,  For Cold Frames.  Cantillower,  For Cold Frames.  Con Salad,  Cress,  Con Salad,  Cress,  Con Salad,  Cress,  Con Salad,  Cress,  Mustard,  Winter Radish,  Puming.  Chaming.  Of all the Early Varieties.
AUGUST.	Bash Bean Goon Salad.  Con Salad.  Con Salad.  Con Con Salad.  Concember, Good And Concember.  Realish, Pears, Sphinach, Concember.  Realish, Pears, Golden Yellow Variety of delicious flavor.
JULY.	Sow in Open Ground.  Beans, Beet, Carrot, Sweet Corn, Corn Salad, Cress, Cucumber, Chers, Cherwhell, Carrot, Chers, Cherwhell, Chers, Cherwhell, Chers, Cherwhell, Chers, Cherwhell, Chers, Cherwhell, Chers, Cherwhell, Che
JUNE.	Sow in Open Ground.  Bush Beans, Lima do Carrot. Beet, Cramberry Pole do Carrot. Beet, Corn Si Brocoli. Brocoli. Brocoli. Brussels Sprouts, Cress, Brocoli. Carrot. Early Cabbage, Cucum. Carrot. Carr
MAY.	Sow in Open Ground. Sow in Artichoke, Asparagus, Crambers Pole do Beet, Scarlet Runners, Brocoli, Brussels Sprouts, Carrol Late Cabbage, Carrol Cauliflower, Cauliflower, Clerk, Cauliflower, Clerk, Chiral White Endive, Kale, Cucumber, Lettuce, Early Kohlrubi, Chess, Lettuce, Early Conion, Rollen, Brassely, Early Parsily, Salsify, Salsify, Salsify, Tomato, Tomato
APRIL.	Sow in Hot-Bad.  Sweet Corn, Cucumber, Rege Plant, Melon, Pepper, Tomato.  Sow in Open Grand.  Asparagus, Baccii, Brussels Sprouts, Barcoli, Brussels Sprouts, Cauliflower, Cauliflower, Celery, Carrot, Celery, Conion, Parsiey, P
MARCH.	Sow in Early Beans, Early Beans, Brocoli, Brocoli, Brussels Beruts, Early Cabbage, Foreing Carrot, Cauliflower, Celery, Celery, Celery, Early Cabbage, Foreing Carrot, Celery, Celery, Celery, Perper, Pepper,
FEBRUARY.	Early Beans, Brocoll, Barly Beans, Brocoll, Barly Cabbage, Forcing Carrott, Early Celery, Cucomber, Early Celery, Cucomber, Barls Plant, Early Lettuce, Parsley, Radish, Radis